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Mr. Jeff Kulon
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Mr. Kulon,

Thank you for your interest in the analytical methodology for low concentrations of perchlorate in water. I am enclosing several documents pertaining to EPA and Air Force evaluations of the California Department of Health Services Method (an ion chromatography method developed in 1997).

EPA is preparing to conduct an interlaboratory validation study of the perchlorate analytical method. We are quite interested in increasing participation to make the study statistically robust. A copy of the potential participants is enclosed. Please contact Dr. Steve Pia, of EPA's Research Laboratory in Las Vegas, at (702) 798-2101 if you would be interested in this study.

Please feel free to contact me at (415) 744-2248 if you have any questions about perchlorate.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kevin".

Kevin Mayer, SFD-7-2
Superfund Site Cleanup Branch

Enclosures
cc: Jere Johnson
Steve Pia

CONTACTS and STATUS

NA- Have not been able to make contact

Yes- Lab has shown definite commitment to the interlaboratory process

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Yes, Definite	Clayton Laboratories	248.344.1770	Novil, MI
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